

## By Telegraph.

### From Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, November 24.—The Legislature of this State met and organized, yesterday. No business was done.

### Tennessee Legislature.

NASHVILLE, November 16.—The Senate, to-day, passed Senator Trimble's blood-thirsty resolutions, demanding the blood of Davis and other prominent rebel leaders, by a vote of 15 to 3. Those voting in the negative were Bowen, Frazer, of Knoxville, and Lazaler.

### From Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, November 23.—Governor Parsons' message to the Legislature urges the adoption of the constitutional amendment abolishing slavery and the passage of laws for the protection of negroes in person and property. This course, he says, will secure the admission of Representatives in Congress and restore the State to all her political rights.

### French and Fenian Scare.

NEW YORK, November 23.—The statement made on the 10th instant that the French Government had complained to the custom authorities against five steamers and sundry persons (the former as destined to transport arms, &c., to Mexico,) was substantially correct. An extract from an official states that a clearance was refused a steamer until she had been examined by Collector King, the collector giving as a reason for this course that he had received protests against several vessels in port, said to be preparing for illicit purposes against the French and British commerce.

### From Mexico.

WASHINGTON, November 24.—New Orleans and Mexican advices state that the Liberal army is encamped nine miles from Matamoros, and are confident of the speedy capture of that place and Bagdad. Highly important communications have passed between the commander of the Imperial fleet and the Liberal commander at Brownsville.

General Meyer issued an order prohibiting persons from crossing from the American side to Matamoros, or vice versa.

The Liberals are reported in force eight miles from Matamoros.

### From Mississippi.

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI, November 23.—A bill has passed the House of Delegates allowing freedmen to testify when parties to the record.

General Humphreys has telegraphed to the President relative to the withdrawal of colored troops. He replied that it will be done when order is maintained without them. There is no disposition on the part of the Government to dictate, but simply to advise a beneficial policy.

Governor Humphreys' message to the Legislature recommends that negro testimony be admitted in the courts, and the passage of laws to encourage freedmen to support their families and educate their children. He thinks that the passage of these measures will secure the withdrawal of the troops.

### Admission of Southern Congressmen.

WASHINGTON, November 22.—An interesting feature of the political situation is that of members of Congress elect who may be willing to take the oath. Mr. Forney sometime since stated that such should be admitted. The President has stated as much, but under the Colfax programme, they cannot be until their States have made laws in accordance with the Declaration of Independence, and the people have endorsed the action of their recent State conventions. But under the laws of the United States, States are restricted for choice of Congressmen, who are accredited as from certain established districts. When persons are elected by the people of such districts, how can they be kept from their seats in the House?

I hear from several quarters to-day that the President is very firm in his policy of a prompt restoration of the Southern States.

The conduct of the British Government in surrendering the Shenandoah to the United States is not regarded in any quarter as deserving of especial commendation, unless the act be accompanied by compensation commensurate with the damages heretofore committed on American shipping by the English built and English recognized cruisers.

### From Washington.

WASHINGTON, November 23.—It is stated that Mr. Colfax will be on the ground here until Congress meets. He will thus have great advantage in manipulating members as they come, in advance, to his interest as candidate for Speaker, and as champion of severe measures against the South.

The Boston Post has it that General Banks, the "little iron man," will be a candidate for Speaker, and the Chicago Times calls upon Mr. Raymond to run on *juste milieu* position advocated by him and carried in the Republican State Convention of New York.

In a caucus of Republican members it may be found necessary to harmonize views before there will be unity of action for the House officers.

It is rumored here that Dr. Powell, State agent of North Carolina, has gone to that State with a view to prepare the way for the inauguration of Mr. Worth as Governor. He is invariably spoken of here by all North Carolinians as an excellent man, and one little identified with original secession.

General Butler is expected here soon. He will probably play rather a large part in politics next winter, Massachusetts being on a high horse.

It is said that Mr. Colfax is not in the usual confidential relations at the White House.

I hear that radical members of the House are moving in concert to prevent the appointment of Mr. Davis, of Massachusetts, as Chairman of the Committee on Elections.

The Confederate ram Stonewall was forced by the gale to put into Beaufort harbor on Sunday.

The Stonewall will arrive here in time to be examined by the court martial now trying Commodore Craven for not attacking her at Ferrol, in March last.

WASHINGTON, November 24.—The Confederate ram Stonewall arrived this morning.

The President has re-looked the proclamation of rewards offered for the arrest of Jacob Thompson, Beverly Tucker, Saunders, Cleary and Surratt.

The claims for the reward offered for the apprehension of Booth and others associated with him are to be determined by a special commission.

It is stated that Judge Magrath and Mr. Seddon have been released on parole.

The President has directed that no letters patent be granted to any person residing in recent insurrectionary districts, without satisfactory proof of loyalty is furnished.

### Our Relations with Mexico.

The appointment of General Logan as Minister of the United States to the Republic of Mexico is commemorated by the opportune intelligence of a Liberal success. The capture of Monterey by the Republican forces under General Poma gives token that the elements of armed opposition to the Empire still exist in the Mexican people themselves, and all the edicts and proclamations of Maximilian cannot alter or conceal the fact, that successful armies are disputing his title upon the very soil over which he claims dominion. If the military power of the two self-created Emperors cannot protect an important and populous city from the assaults of the "robbers and guerillas," as they are called, that uphold the cause of Juarez, the imperial decrees that pronounce the Empire to be fixed and stable are, to say the least, a little premature. The Liberals have certainly exhibited a constancy worthy of the cause to which they are devoted; and, although they have been unable to repel the splendid legions of France, drilled to perfection and supplied with the most formidable engines of modern warfare, they have earned the right to be considered legitimately in the field as defenders of the flag of their Republic, and are entitled to the privileges of belligerents and to the respect that is due to patriotism and valiant soldiery.

Our people, therefore, will regard the mission of Logan as a proper manifestation of friendly relations between the United States and the rightful Government of Mexico. His appointment is a recognition of the existence of the Mexican Republic and a formal denial of the existence of the Empire. But, it is rumored, that this mission is not intended to be fulfilled in good faith; that it is simply a contrivance to bring before the Administration an official report of the absence of political essence on the part of the adherents of Juarez; in brief, that Gen. Logan is to act the farce of searching for what he does not propose to find, and to return his credentials with the report that the Government to which they are accredited "non est inventus." We trust that no such contemptible intrigue is in contemplation. Our policy upon the Mexican question should be frank, direct and explicit. Our Government would be dishonored if it descended to subterfuge or evasion to escape the consequences of its own apathy and inaction hitherto. It is true, that the unanimous voices of our national legislators have pledged this Government to sustain the Liberal cause; it is true, that the sentiment of our people is in earnest sympathy with Juarez; nevertheless, if it is determined that the pledge shall not be redeemed, let it be so stated, without prevarication and without chance of being misunderstood. If the Mexican patriots are to be deserted, let them know it at once. They have been fed with promises and beguiled with hopes too long already. The last Congress was very demonstrative and enthusiastic in expressing its sentiment upon the subject, and from the intensity of feeling thus exhibited, the Juarists had every reason to rely upon our practical aid at the first opportunity. Buoyed with the hope thus forced upon them, they continued the struggle that they might otherwise have abandoned. Let us not betray them further with an *ignis fatuus*. This Government is the arbiter of their destinies, and they deserve better from us than to be held in suspense, when their nationality, their liberty, everything dear to patriots, depend upon the judgment we shall render. Whatever may be the decision, give it utterance, and let us stand before the world without a mask, whether as friend or foe.

[New York News.

### To Rent,

THE place known as LAGRANGE, near Gladden's Grove, one of the finest Cotton and Corn Plantations in the District. On the place is a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE and all necessary out-buildings. The tract contains 1,250 acres, a large portion of which is under a high state of cultivation.

A lot of CORN, FODDER and PEAS will be disposed of at the same time. Apply to ZEB. MOBLEY, Yenguesville, or to Col. JAMES H. RION, Winnsboro, S. C.

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## DRUGS & MEDICINES.

PURE COD LIVER OIL.  
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.  
SUGAR-COATED PILLS.  
JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.  
UPHAM'S ELECTUARY.  
WISTAR'S WILD CHERRY.  
FAHNESTOCK'S VERMIFUGE.  
WORM SUGAR PLUMS.  
BROWN'S TROCHES.  
And all the leading DRUGS and CHEMICALS, selected pure for the use of physicians and families. For sale by

DR. P. MELVIN COHEN,

Druggist and Apothecary,  
Richardson street, head of Lady street.  
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## SUSPENSORY BAGS.

VULCANIZED RUBBER SUSPENSORY BANDAGES, for Gentlemen. A most useful and elegant article. For sale by

DR. P. MELVIN COHEN,

Druggist and Apothecary,  
Pickens street, head of Lady street.  
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## PILES!

UPHAM'S ELECTUARY—the only safe and certain remedy for the PILES.  
For sale by

DR. P. MELVIN COHEN,

Druggist and Apothecary,  
Pickens street, head of Lady street.  
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## CUBES & COPAIVA.

TARRANT'S EXTRACTS.  
French and American CAPSULES.  
GLASS SYRINGES. For sale by

DR. P. MELVIN COHEN,

Druggist and Apothecary,  
Pickens street, head of Lady street.  
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## Cheap Goods!

## REDUCED RATES.

I HAVE just received and offer at REDUCED RATES:

3 cases BACON—Sides and Shoulders.  
40 bbls. fine Northern FLOUR.  
15 boxes CHEESE.  
2 cases PINE APPLE CHEESE.  
2 bbls. SALMON.  
10 " Irish Potatoes.  
10 " Apples.  
15 sacks Coffee—Rio and Java.  
3 small casks Old Bourbon.  
10 cases  
Mumm's Champagne.  
Nov 20 3 JAMES G. GIBBES.

### CALL AT

## SPECK & POLLOCK'S

AND EXAMINE THEIR STOCK OF

## GROCERIES

AND

## PROVISIONS,

CONSISTING IN PART OF:

SUGARS, BUCKWHEAT,  
COFFEE, Extra FAMILY FLOUR,  
TEA, CHEESE,  
MOLASSES, CRACKERS,  
HAMS, Sap-Sago Cheese,  
Salmon, Kits Mackerel,  
Bbls. Mackerel, Raisins and Almonds,  
Fruit, in cans, Tubs,  
Buckets, Brooms, &c.  
ALSO,

A fine assortment of genuine HAVANA SEGARS, SMOKING TOBACCO, PIPES.

AND  
The best of BRANDIES, WINES and WHISKIES, GIN, and BRANDY COCK-TAILS, STOUT, WINE and other BOTTLED, in fact, everything in the Grocery and Provision line, and all cheap.  
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### NOTICE.

WE respectfully inform the public that we have commenced opening our stock of

## DRY GOODS, MILLINERY GOODS,

AND

## FANCY GOODS,

And are receiving more daily, which we offer at the following low prices:

ENGLISH PRINTS, 35 cts.  
DELAINE, all styles, from 35 cts. upwards.  
Pailde Cheare, new, 40 cts.  
Alpacas, all styles, 50 cts.  
Black Coburgs, from 45 cts., upwards.  
French Fantasie, from 75 cts., upwards.  
Repis Goods, from 50 cts., upwards.  
Beautiful Balmoral Skirts, \$3.50.  
Shawls, from \$2.50, upwards.  
Cloaks, latest styles, from \$7.00, upwards.  
Trimmed Hats, latest styles, from \$2.50, upwards.  
A large assortment of Bonnet Ribbons, from 20 cts., upwards.  
And many other Goods too numerous to mention. Ladies would do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.  
ABELES, MYERS & CO.,  
Bronson's Old Stand.  
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## MELVIN M. COHEN,

Assembly St., West Side,

ONE DOOR FROM PENDLETON ST.,

HAS RECEIVED,

IN ADDITION TO HIS GENERAL STOCK OF

## Groceries, Provisions, Drugs, Medicines and Fancy Articles,

FRESH LAYER RAISINS.  
SOFT SHELL ALMONDS.  
Trenton and Oyster CRACKERS.  
Boston, Wine, Soda, Congress and Butter CRACKERS, SARDINES.  
FIGS, CURRANTS, VERMICELLI.  
DATES, SYRUPS, MACCARONI.  
CHOCOLATE DROPS.  
JELLY GUM DROPS.  
Cream Ale, London Porter, superior Port and Sherry Wines, Bourbon, Rye and Monongahela Whiskey, French Brandy, Brir Root and India Rubber Pipes, German Tube Pipes, Scarfaletti Smoking Tobacco and Havana Segars.

### Kerosene Oil,

LAMPS, SHADES, CHIMNIES, WICKS and FIXTURES in every variety.  
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## Attraction

FOR THE CHILDREN!  
AT

## MELVIN M. COHEN'S,

Assembly St., West Side,

ONE DOOR FROM PENDLETON ST.

A VARIETY OF TOYS.  
CANDY HEARTS, STICK CANDIES.  
CANDY CLOCKS, CANDY MIRRORS.  
CANDY ALPHABET, SUGAR PLUMS.  
FLOWER BASKETS.  
FANCY SUGAR PLUM BAGS.  
CORNUCOPIAS, FRUIT DROPS, CANDY WHISTLES, &c.  
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Headq's District of Western S. C.,  
FOURTH SEPARATE BRIGADE,  
COLUMBIA, S. C., November 24, 1865.  
GENERAL ORDERS NO. 29.

I, BEFORE a Military Commission, which convened at Headquarters, District of Western South Carolina, Fourth Separate Brigade, Columbia, South Carolina, October 27th, 1865, pursuant to Special Orders No. 15, dated Headquarters, District of Western South Carolina, Fourth Separate Brigade, Columbia, South Carolina, October 5th, 1865, and of which Captain I. WHITE, 25th Regiment Ohio Veteran Volunteers, is President, was arraigned and tried:

L. O. Hobbs, a citizen of Newberry District, in the State of South Carolina.

CHARGE.

Murder.  
SPECIFICATION: "In this, that he, the said L. O. Hobbs, citizen of Newberry District, South Carolina, did, with malice aforethought, kill, by shooting, one Melvin, a Freedman. This in Newberry District, South Carolina, on or about the sixth day of September, 1865."

To which Charge and Specification, the accused, L. O. Hobbs, citizen of Newberry District, South Carolina, pleaded as follows:

To the Specification, "Not Guilty."  
To the Charge, "Not Guilty."

FINDING.

The Commission having maturely considered the evidence adduced, finds the accused, L. O. Hobbs, citizen of Newberry District, South Carolina, as follows:

Of the Specification, "Guilty," except the words "with malice aforethought."  
Of the Charge, "Not Guilty, but Guilty of Manslaughter."

SENTENCE.

And the Commission do, therefore, sentence the said L. O. Hobbs, citizen of Newberry District, State of South Carolina, to be confined at hard labor for the period of six (6) years, at such place as the Commanding General may direct.

II. The proceedings and findings in the foregoing case of L. O. Hobbs, citizen of Newberry District, South Carolina, are approved. The sentence is confirmed, and will be carried into effect at Castle Pinckney, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, under the direction of the Commanding Officer thereof, to whom the prisoner will be sent under guard.

The Quartermaster's Department will furnish the necessary transportation.  
III. The Military Commission, convened by Special Orders No. 15, from Headquarters, District of Western South Carolina, Fourth Separate Brigade, Columbia, South Carolina, October 5th, 1865, and of which Captain I. WHITE, 25th Regiment Ohio Veteran Volunteers, is President, is hereby dissolved.

By order of  
Brevet Major-General A. AMES.  
CHAS. A. CARLETON, Ass't. Adj't. Gen'l.  
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At Private Sale.

By A. R. Phillips.

THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, at present occupied by Hon. John Townsend, situated one mile from the Charlotte Railroad Depot, and about 200 yards from Barhamville Institute. The house is well finished, ceiled, canvassed and handsomely papered, and has six fire-places. There are suitable out-buildings attached. The lot contains 18½ acres, under perfect fencing, a portion of which is under thorough cultivation as a garden—the balance well wooded. For price and terms, apply as above.  
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## Auction Sales.

Buggies, Harness and Mule.

By Levin & Peixotto.

THIS MORNING, at 11 o'clock, will be sold, at our store,  
1 fine Sorrel Horse, Buggy and Harness, in fine order.  
1 fine Bay Horse, Buggy and Harness.  
1 Mule. The above horses are young and in fine condition.  
Sale positive. Terms cash. Nov 28  
Persons desiring to purchase can see the above before sale and secure a bargain.

City Stables.

By JAMES G. GIBBES

C. F. HARRISON, AUCTIONEER.

WILL be sold, THIS (Tuesday) MORNING, immediately after the sale of Furniture opposite the Orphan House, and at the same place, at 12 o'clock,  
All the BUILDINGS known as the City Stables, situated and immediately adjoining the Odd Fellows' School. The buildings to be immediately removed by the purchaser.  
ALSO,  
1 Single Top Buggy.  
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Ladies' Cloaks, &c., in Variety.

By Levin & Peixotto.

THIS MORNING, at 11 o'clock, we will sell, at our store,  
A variety of Ladies' Cassimere, Beaver and Chinilla Cloaks, Basque and Circular, single and double-breasted; Ladies' and Children's Woolen Hoods and Scarfs, &c.  
For particulars, see hand-bills.  
Sale positive. Terms cash. Nov 28 2

Variety Sale.

By Levin & Peixotto.

THIS (TUESDAY) MORNING, at 10 o'clock, we will sell, at our store, to close consignments,  
30 lbs. Black Flax Thread, Nos. 30, 35, 40, 45, 50.  
50 packs Pins.  
10 doz. assorted Scissors.  
4 " Door Locks.  
Boxes Window Glass.  
Family Soap, Segars, &c.  
ALSO,  
Sundry articles Household Furniture.  
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Household and Kitchen Furniture, China, Glassware, &c.

By JAMES G. GIBBES.

C. F. HARRISON, AUCTIONEER.

WILL be sold, THIS MORNING, November 28, at 10 o'clock, at the residence on Washington street, opposite the Orphan House,  
The following articles of elegant and well kept FURNITURE, viz:  
One splendid Mantle Mirror.  
Set of elegant Parlor Furniture.  
Handsome Book-case.  
Mahogany Wardrobes.  
Marble-top Bureau.  
Washstand and Sideboard.  
Large China Dinner Set.  
Mattresses, Curtains, Bed Linen, &c.  
ALSO,

1 fine 7-octave Piano, Chickering's make; Brussels Carpets, and numerous other articles pertaining to house-keeping; together with all the Kitchen Furniture.  
N. B.—The Furniture can be inspected on the premises on the day preceding the sale.  
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Handsme Furniture, Piano, Watch, &c.

By A. R. Phillips.

TO-MORROW (Wednesday) MORNING, 29th, I will sell, (weather permitting,) at my auction mart, Davis' Alley, near Hopson & Sutphen's Saddlery store, a variety of very handsome Furniture, consisting of—  
A fine Cypress Secretary and Bureau.  
1 fine Mahogany French Bedstead, Wardrobe.  
Marble and Mahogany-top Card Table, Sofas.

Extension Dining Table, Marble-top Washstands.

Hair, Cane and Wood Seat Chairs, What-Not.

Hair Seat Rocking Chairs, Quartets, Hat Rack.

Walnut Cottage Bedsteads, Mahogany Crib, Window Shades.

Damask Curtains, Mattresses.

Gilt Frame Looking Glasses.

1 6-octave Piano, in good order and tune.

2 large Brussels Carpets.

ALSO,  
1 Cooking and 1 Office Stove.

2 Double-burrelled Guns.

1 Double-case Gold Lever Watch.

And many other articles as usual.

N. B. Unlimited articles received until 9 o'clock on morning of sale. Nov 28 3

### COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

RICHLAND DISTRICT—IN EQUITY.

John Logan, George W. Glenn, et ux et al., vs. Rufus J. Reid, Joseph Clippens, et ux et al.—Bill for Sale of Real Estate.  
IN pursuance of the order of the Court in the above case, I will sell, on the FIRST MONDAY in January next, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, in the city of Columbia, S. C., two SQUARES OF LAND in said city, containing four acres each—one lot bounded as follows: On the North, by Plain street; on the East, by Winn street; on the South, by Washington street; on the West, by Barnwell street. The other square, or lot, bounded as follows: On the North, by Blanning street; on the South, by Taylor street; on the East, by Laurens street; and on the West, by Winn street.

One of these squares is so situated as to be a most eligible location for private residences; the other square, opposite the depot of the Columbia and Charlotte Railroad, is well situated for stores or business establishments. These squares, or lots, will be so sub-divided as to suit purchasers, as well those who seek investments as those who desire to provide themselves a comfortable home. A map, with the lots numbered, can be seen at my office, at any time after the fifth day of such prox.

Terms.—One-fourth cash; balance on a credit of one, two and three years, with interest payable annually until the whole debt be paid, secured by bond and mortgage of the premises. Purchasers to pay for papers.  
D. B. DESAUSSE, C. E. B. D.  
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